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For: Semiconductor Device with Alternating	)	
Conductivity Type Layer and Method of	)	
Manufacturing the Same	)	

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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Sir:

Prior to the Examination on the merits, please amend the above-captioned patent application as follows:

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